

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: §
Glenek Mieszelewicz §
Serial No.: 10/574,811 § Group Art Unit: 3679
Confirmation No.: 3667 §
Filed: April 5, 2006 § Examiner: Fannie C. Kee
For: METHOD OF CORROSION §
PROTECTION AT A WELDED §
PIPE JOINT AND §
RESULTING JOINT §

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION DATED NOVEMBER 28, 2008,

In response to the Office Action dated November 28, 2008, having a shortened statutory period for response set to expire on February 28, 2009, please enter this response and reconsider the claims pending in the application for reasons discussed below.

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